User Manual

PCIE-1730

32-ch Isolated Digital I/O PCI Express Card

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CE

This product has passed the CE test for environmental specifications when shielded cables are used for external wiring. We recommend the use of shielded cables. This kind of cable is available from Advantech. Please contact your local supplier for ordering information.

CE

This product has passed the CE test for environmental specifications. Test conditions for passing included the equipment being operated within an industrial enclosure. In order to protect the product from being damaged by ESD (Electrostatic Discharge) and EMI leakage, we strongly recommend the use of CE-compliant industrial enclosure products.

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   - A complete description of the problem
   - The exact wording of any error messages

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Safety Instructions

1. Read these safety instructions carefully.
2. Keep this User Manual for later reference.
3. Disconnect this equipment from any AC outlet before cleaning. Use a damp cloth. Do not use liquid or spray detergents for cleaning.
4. For plug-in equipment, the power outlet socket must be located near the equipment and must be easily accessible.
5. Keep this equipment away from humidity.
6. Put this equipment on a reliable surface during installation. Dropping it or letting it fall may cause damage.
7. The openings on the enclosure are for air convection. Protect the equipment from overheating. DO NOT COVER THE OPENINGS.
8. Make sure the voltage of the power source is correct before connecting the equipment to the power outlet.
9. Position the power cord so that people cannot step on it. Do not place anything over the power cord.
10. All cautions and warnings on the equipment should be noted.
11. If the equipment is not used for a long time, disconnect it from the power source to avoid damage by transient overvoltage.
12. Never pour any liquid into an opening. This may cause fire or electrical shock.
13. Never open the equipment. For safety reasons, the equipment should be opened only by qualified service personnel.
14. If one of the following situations arises, get the equipment checked by service personnel:
15. The power cord or plug is damaged.
16. Liquid has penetrated into the equipment.
17. The equipment has been exposed to moisture.

18. The equipment does not work well, or you cannot get it to work according to the user's manual.
19. The equipment has been dropped and damaged.
20. The equipment has obvious signs of breakage.
21. DO NOT LEAVE THIS EQUIPMENT IN AN ENVIRONMENT WHERE THE STORAGE TEMPERATURE MAY GO BELOW -20° C (-4° F) OR ABOVE 60° C (140° F). THIS COULD DAMAGE THE EQUIPMENT. THE EQUIPMENT SHOULD BE IN A CONTROLLED ENVIRONMENT.
22. CAUTION: DANGER OF EXPLOSION IF BATTERY IS INCORRECTLY REPLACED. REPLACE ONLY WITH THE SAME OR EQUIVALENT TYPE RECOMMENDED BY THE MANUFACTURER, DISCARD USED BATTERIES ACCORDING TO THE MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS.
23. The sound pressure level at the operator's position according to IEC 704-1:1982 is no more than 70 dB (A).

Safety Precaution - Static Electricity

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Follow these simple precautions to protect yourself from harm and the products from damage.

■ To avoid electrical shock, always disconnect the power from your PC chassis before you work on it. Don't touch any components on the CPU card or other cards while the PC is on.

■ Disconnect power before making any configuration changes. The sudden rush of power as you connect a jumper or install a card may damage sensitive electronic components.

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Chapter 1

Overview

1.1　Introduction

The Advantech PCIE-1730 is a 32-channel isolated digital input/output card for the PCI Express bus.

The PCIE-1730's isolated digital input channels are ideal for digital input in noisy environments or with floating potentials.

The following sections of this chapter will provide further information about features, installation guide, together with some brief information on software and accessories for the PCIE-1730 card.

1.2　Features

PCIE-1730

- 32 isolated DIO channels (16 inputs and 16 outputs)
- 32 TTL-level DIO channels (16 inputs and 16 outputs)
- High output driving capacity with 500 mA per channel (maximum)
- High-voltage isolation on isolated I/O channels (2,500 V_{DC})
- Interrupt handling capability
- Two 20-pin connectors for isolated DI/O channels and two 20-pin connectors for TTL DI/O channels
- D-type connector for isolated input and output channels
- High ESD protection (2,000 V_{DC})
- High over-voltage protection (70 V_{DC})
- Wide input range (10 ~ 30 V_{DC})
- Board ID to identify specific card when multiple devices are installed

The Advantech PCIE-1730 offers the following main features:

Robust Protection

The PCIE-1730 digital input channels feature robust isolation protection for industrial, lab and machinery automation applications. It durably withstands voltage up to 2,500 V_{DC}, preventing your host system from any incidental harm. If connected to an external input source with surge-protection, the PCIE-1730 can offer up to a maximum of 2,000 V_{DC} ESD (Electrostatic Discharge) protection. Even with an input voltage rising up to 70 V_{DC}, the PCIE-1730 can still manage to work properly, albeit only for a short period of time.

Wide Input Range

The PCIE-1730 has a wide range of input voltage from 10 to 30 V_{DC}, and is suitable for most industrial applications with 12 V_{DC} or 24 V_{DC} input voltage.

Plug-and-Play Function

The PCIE-1730 is a Plug-and-Play device, which fully complies with PCI Express Specification Rev V1.0. During card installation, there is no need to set jumpers or DIP switches. Instead, all bus-related configurations such as base I/O address and interrupt are automatically done by the Plug-and-Play function.

Board ID

The PCIE-1730 has a built-in DIP Switch that helps define each card's ID when multiple PCIE-1730 cards have been installed on the same PC chassis. The board ID setting function is very useful when users build their system with multiple PCIE-1730 cards. With correct Board ID settings, you can easily identify and access each card during hardware configuration and software programming.

Reset Protection

When the system has undergone a hot reset (i.e. without turning off the system power), the PCIE-1730 can either retain outputs values of each channel, or return to its default configuration as open status, depending on its on-board jumper setting. This function protects the system from wrong operations during unexpected system resets.

> *Note!* For detailed specifications of the PCIE-1730, refer to Appendix A, Specifications.

1.3 Applications

- Industrial ON/OFF control
- Switch status sensing
- BCD interfacing
- Digital I/O control
- Industrial and lab automation
- Laboratory & Education

1.4 Installation Guide

Before you install your PCIE-1730 card, please make sure you have the following necessary components:

- PCIE-1730 card
- PCIE-1730 User's Manual
- Advantech driver DAQNavi (included in the CD-ROM)
- Wiring cable PCL-10137 (option)
- Wiring board PCLD-880, ADAM-3937 (option)
- Personal computer or workstation with a PCI Express-bus slot

Some other optional components are also available for enhanced operation:

- Application software: Advantech Navigator (Utility) offered by DAQNavi software.

After you get the necessary components and maybe some of the accessories for enhanced operation of your card, you can then begin the Installation procedures.

1.5 Software Overview

Advantech offers device drivers, SDKs, third-party driver support and application software to help fully exploit the functions of your PCIE-1730 card. All these software packages are available on the companion CD-ROM or you can browse Advantech website to get the latest update: http://www.advantech.com/.

1.6 Accessories

Advantech offers a complete set of accessory products to support the PCIE-1730 card. These accessories include:

Wiring Cable

The PCL-10137 shielded cable is specially designed for PCIE-1730 cards to provide high resistance to noise. To achieve better signal quality, the signal wires are twisted in such a way as to form a "twisted-pair cable", reducing cross-talk and noise from other signal sources. Furthermore, its digital lines are separately sheathed and shielded to neutralize EMI/EMC problems.

Wiring Boards

The ADAM-3937 is a 37-pin D-type wiring terminal module for DIN-rail mounting. This terminal module can be readily connected to the Advantech PC-Lab cards and allow easy yet reliable access to individual pin connections for the PCIE-1730 card.

The PCLD-880 is a universal screw-terminal board to be used with any of the PC-LabCards which have 37-pin D-type connectors.

Chapter 2

Hardware Installation

2.1 Installation

This chapter gives users a package item checklist, proper instructions about unpacking and step-by-step procedures for both driver and card installation.

2.2 Unpacking

After receiving your PCIE-1730 package, please inspect its contents first. The package should contain the following items:

- PCIE-1730 card
- Companion CD-ROM
- User's Manual

The PCIE-1730 card harbors certain electronic components vulnerable to electrostatic discharge (ESD). ESD could easily damage the integrated circuits and certain components if preventive measures are not carefully paid attention to.

Before removing the card from the antistatic plastic bag, you should take following precautions to ward off possible ESD damage:

- Touch the metal part of your computer chassis with your hand to discharge static electricity accumulated on your body. Or one can also use a grounding strap.
- Touch the anti-static bag to a metal part of your computer chassis before opening the bag.
- Take hold of the card only by the metal bracket when removing it out of the bag.

After taking out the card, first you should:

Inspect the card for any possible signs of external damage (loose or damaged components, etc.). If the card is visibly damaged, please notify our service department or our local sales representative immediately. Avoid installing a damaged card into your system.

Also pay extra caution to the following aspects to ensure proper installation:

- Avoid physical contact with materials that could hold static electricity such as plastic, vinyl and Styrofoam.
- Whenever you handle the card, grasp it only by its edges. DO NOT TOUCH the exposed metal pins of the connector or the electronic components.

> *Note!* *Keep the anti-static bag for future use. You might need the original bag to store the card if you have to remove the card from PC or transport it elsewhere.*

2.3 Driver Installation

We recommend you to install the driver before you install the PCIE-1730 card into your system, since this will guarantee a smooth installation process.

The Advantech device driver installation for the PCIE-1730 card is included on the companion CD-ROM that is shipped with your DA&C card package.

2.4 Hardware Installation

> **Note!** *Make sure you have installed the driver first before you install the card.*

After the device driver installation is completed, you can now go on to install the PCIE-1730 card in any PCI Express slot on your computer. Follow the steps below to install the card on your system.

1. Turn off your computer and unplug the power cord and cables. TURN OFF your computer before installing or removing any components on the computer.
2. Remove the cover of your computer.
3. Remove the slot cover on the back panel of your computer.
4. Touch the metal part on the surface of your computer to neutralize the static electricity that might be on your body.
5. Insert the PCIE-1730 card into a PCI Express slot. Hold the card only by its edges and carefully align it with the slot. Insert the card firmly into place. Use of excessive force must be avoided, otherwise the card might be damaged.
6. Fasten the bracket of the PCI Express card on the back panel of the computer.
7. Connect appropriate accessories to the PCI Express card.
8. Replace the cover of your computer chassis. Re-connect the cables you removed in step 2.
9. Plug in the power cord and turn on the computer.

> **Note!** *In case you installed the card without installing the Device Drivers first, Win95/98/ME will recognize your card as an "unknown device" after rebooting, and will prompt you to provide the necessary driver. Ignore the prompting messages (just click the Cancel button) and set up the driver according to the steps described in 2.3 Driver Installation.*

After the PCIE-1730 card is installed, you can verify whether it is properly installed on your system through the Device Manager:

1. Access the Device Manager through Control Panel/System/Device Manager.
2. The device name of the PCIE-1730 should be listed on the Device Manager tab as follows.
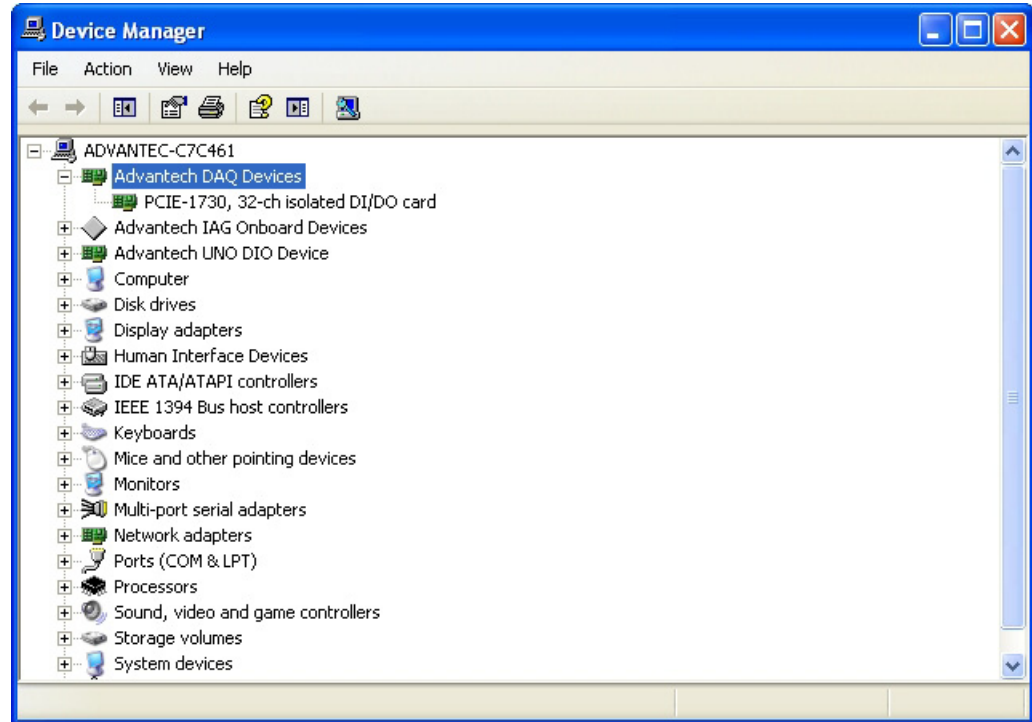

Figure 2.1 Device Manager

Note! *If your card is properly installed, you should see the device name of your card listed on the Device Manager tab. If you do see your device name listed on it but marked with an exclamation sign "!", it means your card has not been correctly installed. In this case, remove the card device from the Device Manager by selecting its device name and press the Remove button. Then go through the driver installation process again.*

After your card is properly installed on your system, you can now configure your device using the Advantech Navigator after you install DAQNavi on your computer.

Chapter 3

Signal Connections

3.1 Overview

Maintaining signal connections is one of the most important factors in ensuring that your application system is sending and receiving data correctly. A good signal connection can avoid unnecessary and costly damage to your PC and other hardware devices. This chapter provides useful information about how to connect input and output signals to the PCIE-1730 via the I/O connector.
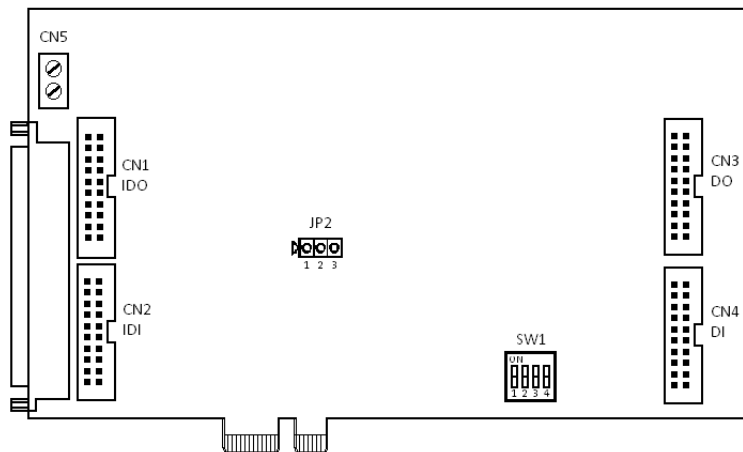
3.2 Switch and Jumper Settings

Figure 3.1 Card Connector, Jumper and Switches

Table 3.1: Summary of Jumper Settings	
Names of Jumpers	**Function description**
JP2 (1, 2 short)	Output channels will keep last status after system resets
JP2 (2,3 short)	Output channels will set their values to Low after system resets (Default)

Table 3.2: Board ID setting (SW1)				
ID3	**ID2**	**ID1**	**ID0**	**Board ID**
1	1	1	1	0
1	1	1	0	1
1	1	0	1	2
1	1	0	0	3
1	0	1	1	4
1	0	1	0	5
1	0	0	1	6
1	0	0	0	7
0	1	1	1	8
0	1	1	0	9
0	1	0	1	10
0	1	0	0	11
0	0	1	1	12
0	0	1	0	13
0	0	0	1	14
0	0	0	0	15

Note: On: 1, Off: 0

3.3   Signal Connections

PCIE-1730 Pin Assignments

CN1

IDO 0	1	2	IDO 1
IDO 2	3	4	IDO 3
IDO 4	5	6	IDO 5
IDO 6	7	8	IDO 7
IDO 8	9	10	IDO 9
IDO 10	11	12	IDO 11
IDO 12	13	14	IDO 13
IDO 14	15	16	IDO 15
EGND	17	18	EGND
NC	19	20	NC

CN2

IDI 0	1	2	IDI 1
IDI 2	3	4	IDI 3
IDI 4	5	6	IDI 5
IDI 6	7	8	IDI 7
IDI 8	9	10	IDI 9
IDI 10	11	12	IDI 11
IDI 12	13	14	IDI 13
IDI 14	15	16	IDI 15
ECOM0	17	18	ECOM1
ECOM0	19	20	ECOM1

CN3

DO 0	1	2	DO 1
DO 2	3	4	DO 3
DO 4	5	6	DO 5
DO 6	7	8	DO 7
DO 8	9	10	DO 9
DO 10	11	12	DO 11
DO 12	13	14	DO 13
DO 14	15	16	DO 15
GND	17	18	GND
NC	19	20	NC

CN4

DI 0	1	2	DI 1
DI 2	3	4	DI 3
DI 4	5	6	DI 5
DI 6	7	8	DI 7
DI 8	9	10	DI 9
DI 10	11	12	DI 11
DI 12	13	14	DI 13
DI 14	15	16	DI 15
GND	17	18	GND
NC	19	20	NC

CN5

EGND	1	2	EGND

Description of pin use:

IDIn (n=0 ~ 15):
Isolated digital input
IDOn (n=0 ~ 15):
Isolated digital output
ECOMn (n=0~1):
External common Vcc/GND of IDI
PCOM (n=0~1):
Free wheeling common diode for IDO
EGND:
External ground for IDO
NC:
Not Connected

DIn (n=0 ~ 15):
TTL Digital input
DOn (n=0 ~ 15):
TTL Digital output
GND:
TTL Digital ground

CN6

IDI 0	1	20	IDI 1
IDI 2	2	21	IDI 3
IDI 4	3	22	IDI 5
IDI 6	4	23	IDI 7
IDI 8	5	24	IDI 9
IDI 10	6	25	IDI 11
IDI 12	7	26	IDI 13
IDI 14	8	27	IDI 15
ECOM0	9	28	ECOM1
PCOM0	10	29	EGND
IDO 0	11	30	IDO 1
IDO 2	12	31	IDO 3
IDO 4	13	32	IDO 5
IDO 6	14	33	IDO 7
IDO 8	15	34	IDO 9
IDO 10	16	35	IDO 11
IDO 12	17	36	IDO 13
IDO 14	18	37	IDO 15
PCOM1	19		

TTL-level Digital Input/Output

The PCIE-1730 has 16 TTL-level digital inputs and 16 TTL-level digital outputs. The following figure shows connections to exchange digital signals with other TTL devices:
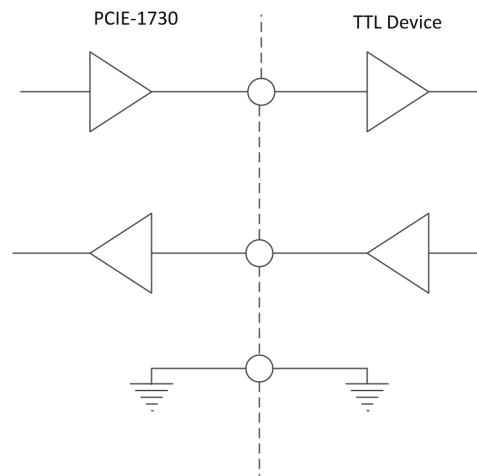

Figure 3.2 TTL-level DI/O Connection

If you want to receive an OPEN/SHORT signal from a switch or relay. See the figure below:
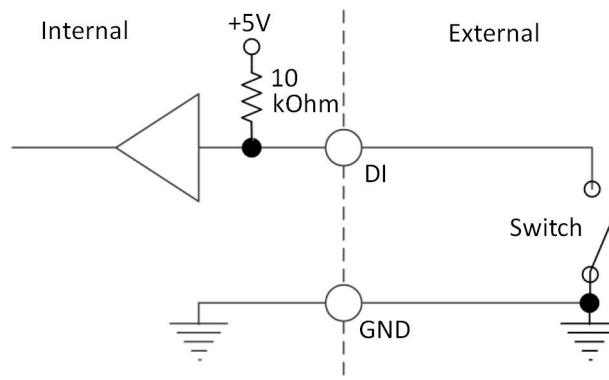

Figure 3.3 Open/Short Connection

Isolated Digital Input

Each of the 16 isolated digital input channels accept voltages from 5 to 30 V. Every eight input channels share one external common. (Channels 0 ~ 7 use ECOM0. Channels 8 ~ 15 use ECOM1.) The following figure shows how to connect an external input source to the card's isolated inputs.
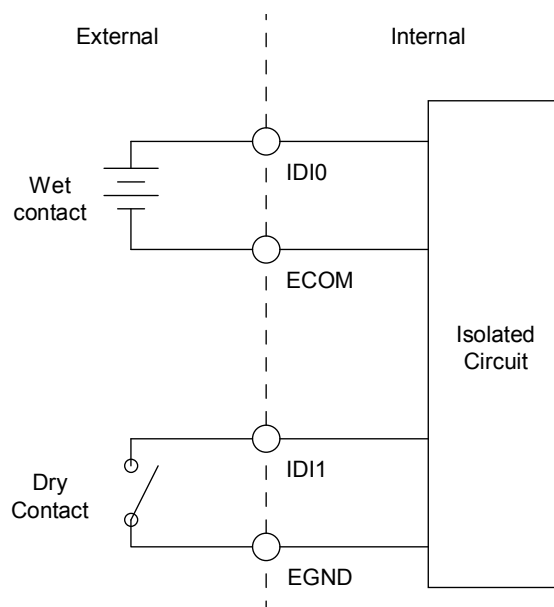

Figure 3.4 Isolated DI Connection

Isolated Digital Output

If the external voltage source (5~40 V) is connected to each isolated output channel (IDO) and its isolated digital output turns on (500 mA max./ch), the card's current will sink from the external voltage source. CN5 provides two EGND pins for IDO connection. The following figure shows how to connect an external output load to the card's isolated outputs.
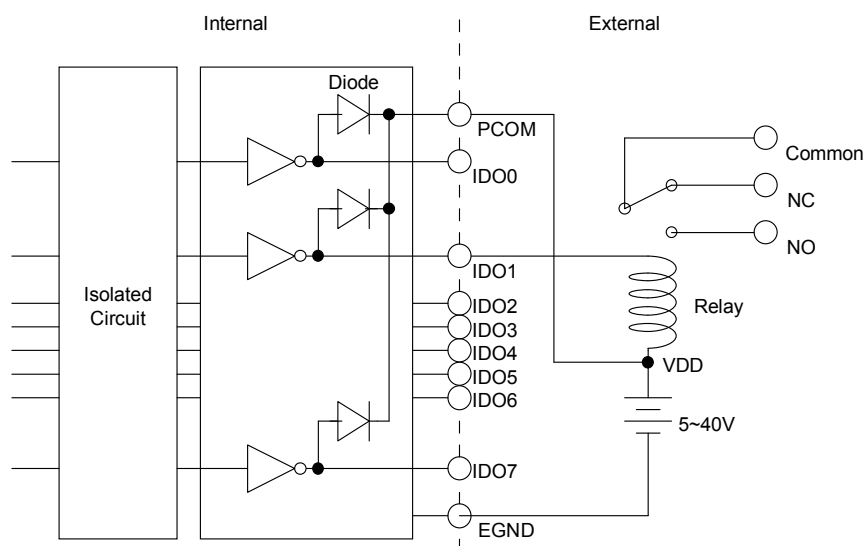

Figure 3.5 Isolated Digital Output Connection

Appendix A

Specifications

A.1 Specifications

A.1.1 PCIE-1730

Isolated Digital Input

Input Channels	16
Input Voltage	Logic 0: 3 V max. (0 V$_{DC}$ min.)
	Logic 1: 10 V min. (30 V$_{DC}$ max.)
Input Current	12 V$_{DC}$ @ 3.18 mA
	24 V$_{DC}$ @ 6.71 mA
Interrupt Capable Ch.	2 (IDI0, IDI8)
Isolation Protection	2,500 V$_{DC}$
Overvoltage Protection	70 V$_{DC}$
ESD Protection	2,000 V$_{DC}$
Opto-Isolator Response	50 µs

Isolated Digital Output

Output Channels	16
Output Type	Sink (NPN)
Isolation Protection	2,500 V$_{DC}$
Output Voltage	5 ~ 40 V$_{DC}$*
Sink Current	500 mA max./channel
Opto-isolator Response	50 µs

> **Note!**
>
> Note *: when a inductance load is connected, the maximum output voltage will be 24 V$_{DC}$.

Non-isolated Digital Input/Output

Input Channels	16	
Input Voltage	Low	0.8 V max.
	High	2.0 V min.
Output Channels	16	
Output Voltage	Low	0.5 V max. @ +24 mA (sink)
	High	2.4 V min. @ -15mA (source)

General

I/O Connector Type	37-pin D-Sub female	
Dimensions	175 mm x 100 mm (6.9" x 3.9")	
Power Consumption	Typical	+3.3 V @ 280 mA +12 V @ 330 mA
	Max.	+3.3 V @ 420 mA +12V @ 400 mA
Temperature	Operation	0~+60°C (32~140°F) (refer to *IEC 68-2-1,2*)
	Storage	-25~+85°C (-4~185°F)
Relative Humidity	5~95%RH non-condensing (refer to *IEC 68-2-3*)	
Certification	CE certified	

Appendix B

Block Diagram

B.1 PCIE-1730

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